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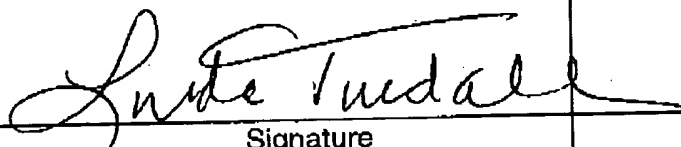
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Re: PU020213 - Serial No. 09/494,514

Dear Examiner Bowen;

Pursuant to our conversation this morning, I am faxing both a copy of the "Declaration for Patent Application" and also the "Assignment Declaration" showing the inventor's full name, address and citizenship.

This should satisfy paragraph 1 of the Detailed Action of the Office Action dated July 13, 2005, wherein it was stated that the Oath or Declaration was defective because it did not identify the citizenship of each inventor.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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